

# **SPECIAL EVENTS**

(Please note all events are subject to change or be cancelled – please call ahead for more information)

#### NOVEMBER

#### **Guided Farm Tours for Children**

#### Ongoing - early October until the end of May 2009 - Prusch Park

If you are interested in booking a tour for your school group with children Pre-K to 3rd grade, please call Dennis Bolger at 408-926-5555 for available dates and for more information on tour prices.

#### **Thanksgiving Dinner/Dance**

Tuesday, November 25, 5:00-9:00pm - Grace Community Center (Gym)

Cost is \$4 at the door.

# DECEMBER

## **North Pole Party**

#### Thursday December 11, 4:00-6:00pm - Almaden Community Center

Make the holidays extra special with a fun-filled time that includes food, singing, art activities, and even a special gift from the North Pole. Register Today! Ages 4-7 welcome. Cost is \$25.

#### **Spaghetti with Santa**

#### Friday, December 12, 5:00-8:00pm - Southside Community and Senior Center

Slow down from the holiday rush to enjoy a scrumptious spaghetti dinner. Tickets are \$3 for 3-10 years old and \$6 for 11 years old and up. Prices go up \$2 after December 5.

# **Holiday Sing-A-Long**

#### Friday, December 12, 6:30-8:00pm - Camden Community Center

No singing experience required. Live musical accompaniment will be provided. Cost is \$5 for adults, \$2 for children 2-14 years of age, children 2 years and under free

# **Holiday Extravaganza**

**Saturday December 13, 8:30am–12:00pm – Shirakawa Community Center –** \$3 per person Take part in winter games and a visit with Santa. Holiday Craft Fair will feature homemade Holiday decorations. Interested vendors may contact 408-277-3317. \$20 per vendor space.

# **Breakfast with Santa**

Saturday December 13, 9:30-11:30am - Cypress Senior Center

\$5 for ages 2-11 and \$8 for 12 and up.

Saturday, December 13, 9:30am-12:00pm - Almaden Community Center

\$10 per person. (Children 18 months and younger are free.) Pre-registration required.

Saturday, December 20, 10:00am-1:00pm – Prusch Farm Park

This event is **FREE**. Call 408-926-5555 for more information.

#### **Holiday Party**

Friday, December 19, 5:00-9:00pm - Grace Community Center (Gym)

Cost is \$4 at the door.







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# **JANUARY**

#### **Southside Extravaganza**

Saturday, January 10, 10:00am-3:00pm - Southside Community and Senior Center

Come to our great winter getaway full of arts, crafts, boutiques, music, dance and more. Please call 408-629-3336 for more information.

# **California Rare Fruit Growers Scion Exchange**

Saturday, January 10, 10:00am-3:00pm - Prusch Park

Come learn more about grafting by attending one of several lectures by area experts such as Andy Mariani and Todd Kennedy. This event is FREE. For more information, please contact the California Rare Fruit Growers at santa\_clara@crfg.org.

# **Daddy Daughter Day**

Saturday, January 24, 10:00am-3:00pm - Shirakawa Community Center

Daddies and daughters will spend quality time together hanging out and having fun. They will do a bit of baking and making crafts together. Cost is \$50.

#### **Kids Night Out**

Friday, January 30, 5:30-9:00pm - Almaden Community Center

Leave your kids (ages 5-11) with our staff for an unforgettable night of wacky crafts, crazy games and dinner. Cost is \$25 and \$12 for additional siblings registered at the same time.

#### **Mom's And Son's Day**

Saturday, January 31, 10:00am-3:00pm - Shirakawa Community Center

Moms and their sons will have fun hanging out together and participating in recreation games, sports, and eating great food. We will catch a movie and a bite to eat at the local mall. Cost is \$50.

# **FEBRUARY**

#### **Center Cleanup**

Saturday February 7, 9:00am-12:00pm - Gardner Community Center

The Gardner staff is looking for volunteers to help with a cleanup of our community center. Some of the tasks will be, but not limited too: basic cleaning, painting, organizing, and light repairs.

# **Tea Party**

Saturday, February 7, 10:00am-12:00pm - Shirakawa Community Center

Young ladies and gentlemen will have fun mingling with others and their "stuffed friends." Participants will partake in tea, hot chocolate, cookies and finger sandwiches. Cost is \$50.

#### **Valentine's Fun Party**

Thursday, February 12, 4:00-6:00pm - Almaden Community Center

This sweet night will include unique art activities, games, and snacks. Ages 4-7 welcome. Cost is \$25. Register today!

#### **Valentine's Day Tea Party**

Saturday, February 14, 12:00-2:00pm - Camden Community Center

We will serve a light lunch with delicious delights to nibble on and tasty teas to sip! Dress up is encouraged! Cost is \$20 for adults 16 and up, \$12.50 for children 5-14 years old.

# **Valentine's Day Out**

Saturday, February 14, 5:00-10:00pm - Shirakawa Community Center

Plan your special Valentine's date early. Let us entertain your youngster with a pizza dinner, games, and crafts in a safe supervised environment. Cost is \$50.



# **FEBRUARY**

#### **Lunar New Year Celebration**

Tuesday February 17, 4:00-6:00pm - Garnder Community Center

We will be celebrating the Lunar New Year with traditional food, music, games and activities.

#### **Just The Girls**

**Saturday, February 21, 10:00am-3:00pm – Shirakawa Community Center –** Cost is \$50 Mother's and Daughter's will have a girl's day out participating in recreational games, sports and eating great food. The "GIRLS" can do hair, make-up and nails; listen to music, sing and dance.

# **Kids Night Out**

Friday, February 27, 5:30-9:00pm Almaden Community Center

Leave your kids (ages 5-11) with our staff for an unforgettable night of wacky crafts, crazy games and dinner. Cost is \$25 and \$12 for additional siblings registered at the same time.

#### **Just The Guys**

Saturday, February 28, 10:00am-3:00pm - Shirakawa Community Center

Father's and Son's have a fun day out with a little "one on one" time. Play recreational games and sports, enjoy food and take a field trip to the local theater for an arcade challenge. Cost is \$50.

# MARCH

# **Community Breakfast**

Saturday March 7, 9:00am-12:00pm - Gardner Community Center

Meet members of the community and Gardner staff to discuss questions, comments, or concerns in the Gardner Community.

# 4th Annual Tracy Wilson Teen Center Job Fair

Saturday, March 7, 10:00am-1:00pm - Shirakawa Community Center

Meet employers and employment agencies. Get job training and work experience for the summer.

#### Flea Market

Saturday, March 14, 7:00am-2:00pm - Shirakawa Community Center

Buy a space and sell your "stuff" to people that will treasure it. Food and drinks will be available for purchase. Cost: \$15 per space before March 14. After March 14, spaces are \$20.



# The City of San José's Office of Emergency Services Offers its FREE Two-Hour Home and Family Disaster Preparedness Training

# Imagine, In Two Hours You Can Learn About...

- Hazards you should prepare for in San José
- Ways to reduce the risks of loss and injury before disaster strikes
- How to create a family disaster plan
- What you should include in your personal and family disaster supplies
- Opportunities to become even more involved and disaster prepared

Date	Time	Location
11/5	6:00-8:00pm	Camden Community Center
11/13	6:00-8:00pm	Almaden Community Center
11/18	5:30-7:30pm	Berryessa Library
12/10	5:30-7:30pm	Rose Garden Library
12/11	6:00-8:00pm	Hank Lopez Community Center